

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

11 NAUTILUS INSURANCE COMPANY,) Case No. CV 12-08399 DDP (JCGx)
an Arizona corporation,)
12)
Plaintiff,)
13) ORDER TO SHOW RE: AMOUNT IN
v.) CONTROVERSY
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ONEBEACON INSURANCE GROUP,)
15 LTD; THE EMPLOYERS' FIRE)
INSURANCE COMPANY,)
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Defendants.)
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_____)

19 Plaintiff is ordered to show cause why this action should not
20 be dismissed for lack of subject matter jurisdiction. Plaintiff
21 filed its complaint in this court on the basis of diversity
22 jurisdiction, asserting eight causes of action related to a
23 commercial general liability insurance policy issued by Plaintiff
24 and a pending suit against Plaintiff's insured. While the
25 complaint makes reference to a \$1 million policy, the complaint
26 provides no information about the amount in controversy in the
27 underlying personal injury action, or about defense costs incurred
28 to date or likely to be incurred in the future. It is therefore

1 not clear to the court that the amount in controversy in this
2 matter exceeds \$75,000, as is required to establish diversity
3 jurisdiction under 28 U.S.C. § 1332.

4 Accordingly, Plaintiff is ordered to file a brief, not to
5 exceed five pages, by Monday, November 26, 2012, showing cause why
6 this action should not be dismissed for lack of subject matter
7 jurisdiction. Plaintiff should also deliver a courtesy copy to
8 chambers, Room 244-J, Second Floor, 312 N. Spring Street, Los
9 Angeles. Failure to file a brief in accordance with this Order
10 will be deemed consent to dismissal of this action.

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13 IT IS SO ORDERED.

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16 Dated: November 14, 2012


DEAN D. PREGERSON
United States District Judge

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